## No. 7/1/2016-MPSC (DR) MANIPUR PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## **PRESS NOTE**

Imphal, the 18<sup>th</sup> of July, 2016

This Commission's attention has been drawn to media reports appearing in newspapers and representation received alleging that Manipur Public Service Commission (MPSC) has violated the rights of OBC and SC candidates in the recently declared result of Manipur Civil Services Combined Competitive (Preliminary) Examination.

- 2. In this regard, it is clarified, that the Commission has followed the Manipur Civil Services Combined Competitive Examination Rules 2010 framed by the Government of Manipur and as amended from time to time while declaring the results of the Preliminary Exam in question and no rights whatsoever, of the OBC and SC candidates have been violated by the said cut off marks.
- 3. In terms of Section-I, Rule 2 of the MCSCC Examination Rules 2010, the number of candidates to be admitted to the Main Examination will be 12-13 times the total approximate number of vacancies to be filled in the year in the various services and the posts. As per the Rule 13 of MCSCC Examination 2010, if sufficient number of candidates belonging to SC, ST, OBC and DAP categories are not available on the general standards, the Commission may relax the standards.
- 4. For 82 posts [General-44, OBC(M)-10, OBC(MP)-4, ST-22 and SC-2] with 1(one) post reserved for Differently Abled Persons(DAP), the number of candidates equal to 12 times the number of vacancies comes to 984(cut off of 171 marks). 73 candidates with equal total marks have been added to it making the total to 1057.
- 5. Within the cut off of 171 marks, sufficient number of General, OBC and SC candidates were available. However, the cut off marks were relaxed for ST to 168 and DAP to 132 as sufficient number of candidates were not available within the cut off of 171 marks. After carrying out the above, total number of candidates admitted to the Main Exam was 1130. Given below is the category wise details of the vacancies and candidates admitted for Main Exam:

SI. No.	Category	Vacancies	Candidates Admitted for Mains	Cut Off Marks
1.	General	44	181	<u> </u>
2.	OBC(M)	10	507	171
3.	OBC(MP)	4	64	
4.	SC	2	70	
5.	ST	22	295	168
6.	Differently Abled Persons (DAP)	1	13	132
Total		82	1130	<u> </u>

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Secretary

Manipur Public Service Commission.

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